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DAHLIAS of MERIT



Roan Mountain,

Tennessee.



E. O. Johnson,

Manager.

“GREETINGS TO DAHLIA LOVERS”

In presenting this price list, it is with the belief that every Dahlia listed herein, has true merit, regardless of price, place or time of its origin.

Special attention has been given to collecting only such varieties as excel in form, size, color, length and strength of stem, habit of growth and free and continuous blooming.

Our stock is field grown tubers from roots, not plants or cuttings.

E. O. Johnson, Manager.

ALEX WALDIE. (D) Creamy ground overlaid with delicate pink, a large full flower of exquisite beauty and very good quality	1.50 1.00
AMBER QUEEN. (P.P.)- Rich clear amber, shaded apricot, best of bloomers. ....	.25
AMITYVILLE .(D)- Large light silvery pink, on strong stems. ....	.75
AMUN RA. (D)- Giant blooms of copper and orange shading to golden amber, the effect is that of a gorgeous sunset. A prize winner where ever shown.	1.50
ATTRACTION. (H.C.)- Large, clear lilac rose, fine form, long stems, good bloomer .....	.75
BABA BOTT. (H.C.)- White, suffused delicate pink. An improved Helen Durnbaugh. Good size and stems. ....	.75
BEN BOLT. (D)- Yellow edged chestnut brown. Odd and attractive. ....	.25
BEN WILSON. (D)- Velvety red, tipped gold, suggests Geisha in coloring. Large and a free bloomer.	1.00
BIANCA. (C)- Lovely lavender pink. A fine cut flower variety. ....	.50
BLACK BEAUTY. (P.F.)- Immense flowers of darkest maroon. Always attracts notice. ....	.50
CALIFORNIA BEAUTY. (C)- Rich glowing amber-copper. A greatly improved Golden West in form, unexcelled for cut flowers.	1.00
CALIFORNIA GOLD. (D)- Immense full flowers of golden orange. Leader as an exhibition dahlia. Extra free bloomer.	1.50
CATHERINE WILCOX. (D)- The large showy flowers are white tipped cerise. Very free bloomer; long strong stems. ....	.75
COMSTOCK. (D)- Large bright yellow with fluted petals. Long stems and a good keeper. One of the best yellows. ....	.75
CITY OF PORTLAND. (P.F.)- Immense flowers of deep yellow. Petals twisted and curled in a most attractive manner. Vigorous grower with stiff stems.	1.00
COUNTESS OF LONSDALE. (C)- Salmon-pink. The best of bloomers; on long wiry stems. ....	.25
CUBAN GIANT. (S)- Large dull garnet. Free and early bloomer. ....	.25
DADDY BUTLER. (H.C.)- Beautiful American Beauty rose shades. Reverse of petals lighter, perfect stems, good keeping qualities. An unusual and beautiful flower.	2.00

DAKOTA. (D)- Shades of flame. Large and fine looking. Profuse bloomer. ....	.75
DARLENE. (D)- Shell-pink, lighter center, ideal habit. Beautiful cut flower sort. ....	.30
D. M. MOORE. (S)- Mammoth size, deep velvety-maroon. Almost black. Profuse bloomer. Fine for garden show. ....	.25
DORIS. (P.P.)- Cream. Tiny and perfectly formed. ....	.25
DOROTHY ROBBINS. (D)- Autumn shades of dark buff, with carrot red center. One of the best for all purposes.	1.00
DR. TEVIS. (D)- Magnificent blossom of salmon rose and old gold. One of the largest dahlias grown. ....	.75
EARL WILLIAMS. (D)- A giant bloom of brilliant crimson and white, evenly distributed. Very free bloomer. One of the finest dahlias yet introduced. Should be planted early.	1.50
ELIZABETH SLOCOMBE. (D)- Large flower. Crimson purple. Erect stems, fine form, vigorous grower, very satisfactory.	1.00
ESTHER HUNT. (H.C.)- Oriental orange, with perfect full center. Large. Longest keeper when cut, of any sort. Petals fringed at tips.	2.00
ESTHER R. HOLMES. (H.C.)- Pinkish lavender. Profuse bloomer. Strong stems. ....	.75
ETHEL F. T. SMITH. (H.C.)- Creamy-white shading to lemon at center. Large flowers are same formation as Gladys Sherwood. A Remarkable Dahlia.	1.00
EVANGELINE. (H.C.)- Large white, long stems. A good one for the price. ....	.35
FAITH. (D)- Pinkish lavender. Large new dahlia, very fine. Should be disbudded freely. ....	.50
FLAMINGO. (D)- Rich glowing rose pink. Splendid habit and wonderful color. ....	.35
F. L. DEERY. (C)- Lovely lavender-pink with yellow center. A good size bloom with long stems, very pretty and refined. ....	.50
FLORENCE FINGER. (D)- Gigantic, deep solid bloom of dark rose, fine form and good bloomer. ....	.75
FOREST LOMA. (P.F.)- Cerise pink, streaked through with canary yellow. Large flowers on good stems. A choice variety. ....	.50
GANY MEDE. (P.P.)- Blend of mauve and tan. Small, free bloomer. ....	.25

GEISHA. (P.F.)- The showiest and most attractive of this type. Petals twisted and curled in a most original form. A rare combination of scarlet and gold shades. ....	.75
G. H. GERO. (D)- Large perfect flowers of a rich pink, on the best of stems. Profuse bloomer. Same form as Dreer's White. ....	.45
GLADYS SHERWOOD. (H.C.)- A wonderful white flower composed of long curling petals forming a flower of unusual depth. They are held erect on strong stems and are produced in greatest profusion.	1.00
GLORY OF ARGONNE. (H.S.)- Violet rose shading to white center.. Flowers always large, of good form, free flowering . One of the best cheap dahlias on the market. ....	.50
GLORY OF NEW HAVEN. (D)- Large flowers of clear lavender pink, veined deeper lavender. Long stiff stems. An ideal variety. ....	.75
GOLDEN GATE. (H.C)- Large deep golden buttercup yellow shaded with glistening fawn. Buds very beautiful. ....	.30
GOLDEN WEST. (H.C.)- A striking shade of old gold. Perfect form, six inch blossoms. ....	.50
HAMPTON COURT. (P.F.)- Large flowers of good form. Bright mauve pink, wonderful stems. One of the best cheap ones. ....	.25
HORTULANUS FIET. (D)- Immense flowers of salmon pink, suffused with gold. No dahlia has ever surpassed this one for sheer beauty. ....	.75
INSULINDE. (D)- Rich bronze-orange. A great dahlia, flowers face upward and last for days on the plant and when cut.	1.00
JEAN CHAZOT. (H.C.)- Golden bronze suffused with nasturtium red. A large, brilliant beautiful flower, with long stiff stems.	1.00
JERSEY KING. (D)- Very large perfect flowers of a brilliant oriental red, with carmine suffusion, with long stiff stems. Early and free flowering.	1.25
J. R. BALDWIN. (D)- Beautiful salmon red. A splendid variety of medium size. ....	.25
JUDGE A. B. PARKER. (D)- A coppery salmon, with golden hue, large perfect flower, fine stems good for all purposes.	2.00
JUDGE MAREAN. (D)- A large flower perfect decorative shape. The colors changing as the flowers pass through the different stages of development are a combination of salmon pink, red iridescent orange yellow and gold, all blending most harmoniously.	1.00

JOHNNY. (P.P.)- Very small perfect dark red. The smallest pompon grown. ....	.25
KALIF .(C)- Giant flowers of pure scarlet. Most profuse, always a favorite. ....	.50
KLEIN DOMITEA. (P.P.)- Small perfect bronze- buff pompon. ....	.25
KITTY DUNLAP. (D)- Lovely shade of American Beauty rose, size, shape, stem, color and bloom- ing qualities are all of the best.	1.50
KIFFIN ROCKWELL. (D)- Rich golden orange, tipped with white. A large free bloomer, good stems. Attracts attention by its brilliant color. ....	.50
LADY HELEN. (H.C.)- A striking and beautiful toned pink with veins of white running through the petals which are tipped creamy white. A profuse bloomer, on long stems. A beautiful variety.	1.50
LOTUS. (D)- Bright orange, with metallic sheen. The good sized flowers are shaped like a water lily. Grand for garden decoration and a glor- ious cut flower. ....	.75
LITTLE BEESWING. (P.P.)- Golden yellow, edged cherry red, small and perfect. ....	.35
MABEL NORMAND. (D)- Light yellow. Fine long stems, profuse bloomer, always admired. ....	.50
MARIPOSA. (H.C.)- True pink, with darker center suffused violet. Very large, full flowers with a perfect center. Continues good to the end of the season. One of the loveliest varieties to date.	3.00
MAUDE ADAMS. (S)- White, softly tinted pink. Exquisite for all floral work. One of the best show dahlias ever introduced. ....	.25
MYERBEER. (P.F.)- Dark cardinal red, with purple center. Striking and attractive variety. ....	.50
MILLIONAIRE. (D)- A giant lavender bloom, shading to white center. Very popular and in great demand. ....	.75
MINA BURGLE. (D)- The finest scarlet dahlia for cut flower and garden purposes. Highly recommended by florists and gardeners every where. ....	.30
MME. BYSTEIN. (P.F.)- Lavender-lilac, an ex- cellent variety. Color, wonderfully fine and dark as the weather gets cooler. ....	.25
MR. C. H. DRESSELHUIS. (D)- Soft rose pink white suffusion towards tips, medium size, very long stiff stems. An improvement over Delice in freedom of blooming. One of the best pink cutters grown.	1.00

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MRS. CARL SALBACH. (D)- Immense blooms of mauve pink, held erect on extra long, strong stems; a perfect exhibition and cut flower.75
MRS. H. J. JONES. (C)- Bright scarlet sometimes tipped white. Dainty and unusual. ....	.25
MRS. I. DE VER WARNER. (D)- Deep orchid pink, very large, extra long strong stems; strong grower, free bloomer, extremely satisfactory. One of the best dahlias in cultivation.	1.50 1.00
MRS. JNO. T. SCHEEPERS. (D)- Canary yellow with pink suffusion. Extra large and full bloom on strong stems, very free bloomer. One of Marean's best introductions.	2.00
MRS. RICHARD LOHRMAN. (H.C.)- Pure golden yellow, large size, curly petals, beautiful form, fine cut flower. One of the best yellows. ....	.75
MRS. WM. WINCOTT. (D)- An excellent light yellow for cut flowers, fringed petals, perfect form and stems.	1.00
NANCY RANKIN. (D)- White with finely cut petals, a most profuse bloomer, makes lovely bouquets. ....	.25
NIBELUNGENHORT. (C)- Old rose with golden apricot suffusion. Beautiful in form and color. An old variety that has stood the test. ....	.50
NINA. (D)- Delicate blush white, with cleft petals, medium size, very pretty. ....	.25
OSAM SHUDOW. (D)- A sensational dahlia. Very large flowers of beautiful old-rose, shaded with golden yellow.	1.00
PARADISE. (H.C.)- Of the well known George Walters type in formation but entirely distinct in color; Creamy old-rose suffused with gold in such a manner as to give it a striking brown tone; extremely free with perfect stems.	3.00
PATRICK O'MARA. (D)- Orange-buff tinted rose. Medium size, fine form, stiff stems, profuse bloomer, very popular. ....	.75
PAUL BONYON. (D)- Salmon pink with golden sheen; large and splendid. ....	.35
POLAR BEAR. (D)- One of the finest pure white dahlias ever originated. ....	.75
PRIDE OF CALIFORNIA. (D)- Giant dark red, with cleft petals. Very fine. ....	.45
PURPLE MANITOU. (D)- Enormous flowers of deep rich purple. One of the best cheap dahlias. ....	.25
QUEEN BESS. (H.D.)- Dazzling "DuBarry" red, giant blooms on long stems a favorite with every one.	1.00

RED CROSS. (C)- Golden yellow heavily marked with coral red, good bloomer on good stems. Large and very showy. ....	.75
ROOKWOOD. (D)- For sheer beauty there is no dahlia like Rookwood; light rosy-lavender. Immense flowers with good depth, held on good stems. Plant low growing and always in bloom.	2.50
ROSA NELL. (D)- Pure bright rose. Habit, constitution, stem and foliage perfect. A Queen among dahlias.	1.00
RUTH C. GLEADELL. (C)- Yellow center, tips apricot-bronze. Immense. ....	.40
SAGAMORE. (D)- A rich Amber-Gold shaded toward the center of the large, perfectly formed blooms, with a warm salmon-rose or orange-buff. Took the East by storm last year.	6.00
SHOWER OF GOLD. (D)- Large flower with fluted petals . A brilliant yellow with apricot center. A wonderful bloomer on good stems. Extremely attractive. ....	.50
SHUDOW'S LAVENDER. (D)- Large silvery lavender, constant free bloomer from early to late in season, perfect center, fine cut flower.	2.50
SNOW CLAD. (P.P.)- Small, perfect snow white. ....	.25
SNOWDRIFT. (D)- Immense flower with broad, waxy, pure white petals. Plant has dwarf habits. Has no equal for exhibition. ....	.75
SUNSET. (P.P.)- Orange, small and perfect. ....	.25
SWEETHEART'S BOUQUET. (P.F.)- Soft pink shades, large and profuse. ....	.50
SYLVIA DICKY. (D)- Large light pink; wonderful bloomer. ....	.75
THE EMPEROR. (D)- Beautiful maroon of the finest type; size is immense, perfect form. Extra long stiff stems, a prize winner of the highest merit.	2.00
THEODORE VAIL. (D)- Old gold, shaded apricot; long stems, very large and fine. ....	.50
TOM LUNDY . (H.S.)- Immense crimson with darker shading. ....	.45
U. S. A. (P.D.)- Deep orange-buff, fine formation, always desirable on account of its glorious color.	1.50
VENUS. (D)- Large creamy white, with lavender suffusion; fine grower and produces blooms very freely. A fine cut flower variety.	1.00
WILLIAM SLOCOMBE. (D)- A beautiful pure canary-yellow of splendid form. Large flowers, blooms early and continues good to end of season.	1.00

WORLD'S BEST WHITE. (D)- A giant creamy-white, the best of its color for exhibition purposes. Plants are a mass of blooms on long stems all summer.	3.50
W. W. ALLEN. (H.C.)- Large flowers of brilliant scarlet. Very attractive. ....	.50
COLLECTION NO. 1- Twelve Choice POMPONS. Our selection. Labeled.	2.25
(VALUE \$3.00)	
COLLECTION NO. 2- Twelve. Our selection. Labeled	2.50
VALUE \$3.00	
COLLECTION NO. 3- Twelve, our selection. Labeled	3.00
(VALUE \$3.50)	
COLLECTION NO. 4- Twelve, our selection. Labeled	3.50
(VALUE \$4.25)	

READ THIS BEFORE ORDERING

Types of Dahlias are abbreviated as follows:-
C—Cactus; Col—Collarette; D—Decorative; H.C. Hybrid Cactus; H.D.—Hybrid Decorative; H.S.—Hybrid Show; P.D.—Peony Decorative; P.F.—Peony Flowered; P.P.—Pompon; S—Show.

Order early or some varieties may be sold out. Orders will be booked, and stock reserved, in strict rotation as received, although shipments will not be made until planting time in the spring, which begins about April 1st and ends about June 1st.

(State what date you want yours sent.)

Allowing substitution saves time upon late orders, when planting time is near. If any variety is substituted, one of equal or greater value will be sent and as similar in all respects as is possible. You will be pleased with our selection in case we substitute, which we rarely do, unless requested.

Stock sent out is strong, divided field-grown roots, showing a sprout or "eye". Guaranteed true to name and to arrive in good growing condition. but no liability is acknowledged above the purchase price.

If any stock should be labeled wrong, it will be replaced the following spring. Any other complaint must be filed immediately upon receipt of stock.

TERMS:- Cash with order or in advance of shipment. Orders are sent postpaid.

For orders amounting to less than \$1.00 add 10cts to order for packing and postage. Stamps will be accepted on such orders.

For all orders, accompanied by payment in full, received before April 15th, we will add 15 per cent of order, in bulbs of our own selection. This is to encourage early orders while stock is complete.

The soil, climate and altitude in "The Land of the Sky" produce dahlia bulbs of high quality, which should give good results any where, provided they receive proper care in planting and cultivation.

Owing to unusual weather conditions during growing season of 1925, stock of many choice varieties is too limited to list. Inquire for anything you want.

We may have it.

Watch for our introductions for 1927—many of which are our own seedlings and are truly superb.

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